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The Secretary-General presents his compliments to the President of the Security Council and, in accordance with paragraph 8 of Security Council resolution 816 (1993), has the honour to bring to his attention further information received by the United Nations Protection Force (UNPROFOR) regarding apparent violations of the ban on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Between 12 and 15 August 1994, there appear to have been 11 flights of fixed- or rotary-wing aircraft in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina other than those exempted in accordance with paragraph 1 of resolution 816 (1993) or approved by UNPROFOR in accordance with paragraph 2 of that resolution. Details as to the itinerary of flights in this reporting period are attached as an annex to the present note verbale.

The total number of flights assessed as apparent violations is now 1,870.

Annex

Information on flights in the airspace of Bosnia and Herzegovina not authorized by the United Nations Protection Force

(12-15 August 1994)

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, speed, altitude
1882	12 Aug.	0614	0615	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white MI-8 HIP helicopter with blue stripes flying in the area of Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North Slow Low
1883	12 Aug.	0753	0754	UNPROFOR personnel observed a camouflaged MI-8 HIP with a red cross marking flying 5 kilometres north-west of Prozor. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	North Slow Low
1884	12 Aug.	0807	0808	UNPROFOR personnel observed a camouflaged MI-8 HIP flying 5 kilometres south-east of Vitez. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by Bosnian Croats.	South-east Slow Low
1885	12 Aug.	0917	0918	UNPROFOR personnel observed a blue-and-white MI-8 HIP with a red cross flying in the area of Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-east Slow Low
1886	12 Aug.	1120	1121	UNPROFOR personnel observed a camouflaged MI-8 HIP flying 15 kilometres south-east of Vitez. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South Slow Low
1887	12 Aug.	1616	1617	UNPROFOR personnel observed a blue-and-white MI-8 HIP taking off in the area of Zenta. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	East Slow Low
1888	12 Aug.	1631	1648	NATO fighter aircraft made visual contact with a white MI-8 HIP flying 25 kilometres south-east of Sarajevo. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	Various Slow Low
1889	13 Aug.	2055	2056	UNPROFOR personnel observed a helicopter flying in the area of Srebrenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Slow Low
				[14 August: no violations reported]	
1890	15 Aug.	0912	0916	UNPROFOR personnel observed a white MI-8 HIP with blue stripes and a red cross taking off from Zenica. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	West Slow Low
1891	15 Aug.	1140	1148	AWACS made radar contact and North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) fighter aircraft made visual contact with a helicopter with a blue stripe and red cross 25 kilometres south-west of Tuzla. The helicopter landed 5 kilometres north-west of Visoko. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by of the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	South-west Slow Unknown

Serial No.	Date	Start	End	Remarks	Heading, speed, altitude
1892	15 Aug.	1201	1207	NATO fighter aircraft observed a helicopter with a blue stripe and red cross taking off 5 kilometres north-west of Visoko. The helicopter landed 10 kilometres north-north-west of Visoko at a stadium. The unauthorized flight took place in an area controlled by the Government of Bosnia and Herzegovina.	North Unknown Unknown